GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
LAW AND JUSTICE
LOK SABHA

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CONSTRUCTION OF COURT BUILDINGS
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Will the Minister of LAW AND JUSTICE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has received proposals for financial assistance from the Government of Karnataka for construction of buildings of District and Sessions Courts during the last three years; and

(b) if so, the details of funds allocated by the Government for the purpose during each of the last three years?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF LAW & JUSTICE(SHRI K. VENKATAPATHY)

(a): A ten year perspective plan for construction of court buildings and residential accommodations for judges/judicial officers was received from the High Court of Karnataka during the year 2005.

(b): During the years i.e. 2004-05 and 2005-06, no funds were released to the States under centrally sponsored scheme for construction of court buildings and residential accommodations of judges/judicial officers, because the plan scheme of the Department of Justice was re- prioritized. During the current fmancial year 2006-07, an amount of Rs. 2.00 crore has been released to Government of Kamataka under the scheme.